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Applicant : Masatsugu Maeda et al.
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MAIL-STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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REQUEST FOR INITIALED PTO FORM 1449

Upon reviewing the file, Applicants note that they have not received an initialed copy of the enclosed PTO Form 1449 that accompanied an Information Disclosure Statement filed September 14, 2005.

Applicants' records show that this Information Disclosure Statement complied with 37 CFR § 1.97. Thus, we respectfully request that the Examiner initial and return this form as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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